



# CONFIRMATION

*YEAR 1 - 2021-2022*

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and  
kindle in them the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit, and they shall be created.  
And You shall renew the face of the earth.

O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct  
the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy  
Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His  
consolations. Through Christ Our Lord.

Amen.

St. Mary, Our Lady of the Lake

Religious Education

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Welcome to Confirmation! What an exciting time!

Over the next two years you will be working on requirements to bring you closer in faith. I hope you use these next two years to bravely open your hearts and minds and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you. I pray that your light shines brightly in a dim world.

Do not be afraid!

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## SPECIFICATIONS

Confirmation preparation is broken into two years. Year 1 is focused on general Catholic religious education. This will be easy - just show up for class.

Year 2 (2022-2023) will continue religious education but with a focus on Confirmation. Additionally, in Year 2 you will need to complete your service hours and an interview.

The actual Confirmation date is scheduled with the diocese in the fall of Year 2. We traditionally request a springtime Confirmation day (i.e., Spring 2023).

## Highlighted Days in Year 1

SEPTEMBER	
26	First Day of RE – 9:45 – 10:45 PM
OCTOBER	
9	Oktoberfest (Note: No RE Oct 10) Reminder: Oktoberfest is a good way for you to pick up some service hours.

## CONFIRMATION CANDIDATE REQUIREMENTS – Year 1

- Candidate must be in high school and at least 14 years old at time of Confirmation (i.e., School year 2022-2023)
- Candidate must be willing of own accord to be confirmed in the church.
- Candidate must have been enrolled in religious education program for at least two years prior (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> grade RE or Catholic school). If candidate was not enrolled in two years of prior RE please contact Michael Urtado (murtado@yahoo.com) to determine eligibility.
- Candidate should participate in Mass on Sundays and more often if the opportunity presents itself.